



Steuben County
**Community
Foundation**

Where Giving Has Impact

Donor Established Funds Book

The Gifts that Keep on Giving

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About Us

Through philanthropic services, strategic investments and community leadership, the Steuben County Community Foundation is a nonprofit organization that helps people support the causes they care about, now and for generations to come. Today, our organization has more than \$30 million in assets that are permanently invested for long-term charitable support. The income is used for grants, scholarships, and to help SCCF convene local groups and support the community.

Mission

“Connecting people who care with needs that matter to our community.”

Vision

Serving as a community leader and improving the quality of life by assessing, supporting and coordinating philanthropic giving and endowment building.



Endowment Funds

An endowment fund starts with a gift from a donor who wants to support a favorite cause forever. This initial gift is carefully invested, and as it grows, SCCF awards grants or scholarships annually according to the donor's wishes. It is an ideal opportunity for you to create a legacy for yourself, your family, and your community. SCCF offers donors the ability to name, contribute, and decide the purpose of the fund. Establishment of a fund is easy, convenient, and inexpensive; it can be done in less time than it takes to open a bank account. We take care of all the administrative activities, allowing you to focus on being the grant maker.

Non - Permanent Funds

A small percentage of funds at SCCF are considered “non-permanent funds,” and these have a slightly different function than endowment funds. Non-permanent funds are sometimes used for community projects, gathering donations on behalf of charitable causes. They can also be used by donors who wish to start a relationship with giving at SCCF, supporting organizations directly as well as permanent endowments that are held for the benefit of local nonprofits. SCCF works closely with donors to tailor a giving vehicle through the foundation that best fits their charitable interests. A non-permanent fund is sometimes the best option for a donor, but the long-term focus of SCCF giving is on permanent endowments.

Types of Funds

Unrestricted Funds

These funds are entrusted to the SCCF Board of Directors for distribution. These funds allow for the betterment of Steuben County instantly and in a variety of ways to help keep this county beautiful. One of the benefits of unrestricted funds is that they are flexible, allowing SCCF to react to changing needs in the community.

Donor Advised Funds

These funds are set up by an individual donor or donor family. Each year the donor has the opportunity to advise where earnings are granted.

Field of Interest Funds

These funds are designated for specific fields of interest such as the environment, women's issues, or specific geographical areas. The recipient organizations may change year after year.

Designated Funds

These funds provide grants to designated organizations or charitable causes every year. Designated funds are a flexible tool in the Community Foundation's repertoire, as they can be used to support a multitude of grants and nonprofits.

Scholarships

These funds are established by an individual donor, donor family, or group of individuals, often in memory or in honor of a loved one. Each year the earnings are granted as outlined in the funds agreement through the use of SCCF's scholarship committee.

Operating Endowments

These allow SCCF operations to continue in perpetuity, and they allow donors to help us, and themselves, make a deep and meaningful impact in Steuben County forever.

Giving Tools

Stocks and Bonds

An individual can make a gift of appreciated stock which allows them to take an income tax deduction and avoid paying capital gains tax. Individuals can also use bonds, but these have different tax rules. Gifts of closely held securities can also be made with tax benefits to the donor.

Retirement Plan Assets/IRA Charitable Rollover

A retirement plan/IRA Charitable gift is a great option for individuals who must take a required minimum distribution from their IRA. They can make a charitable gift using a direct transfer of funds and avoid paying taxes.

Wills and Estates

A gift in a will is a popular, simple, and flexible way to give to a meaningful cause, even if an individual feels they cannot make the gift immediately.

Life Insurance Policy

Many people own life insurance policies they no longer need for family security or liquidity. When an individual donates a paid-up life insurance policy, they can deduct the basis of the policy or the replacement value.

Real Estate

When an individual gives appreciated real estate to charity, they may avoid capital gains taxes while deducting the full fair market value of the property as a charitable contribution.

Charitable Gift Annuities

A charitable gift annuity is a popular way for a donor to make a significant gift while securing a series of fixed income payments.

The following is a list of all the funds at SCCF

Unrestricted Funds

Spirit of Community Fund

Dekko Foundation

Olive B. Cole Foundation

First Federal Savings Bank

Lilly Endowment Inc.

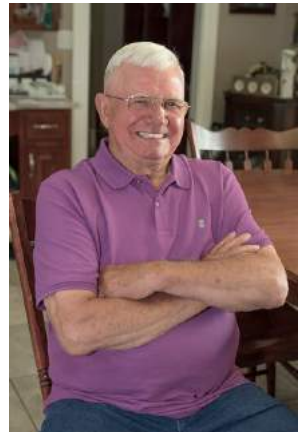
Cold Heading Foundation

John D. Crone Memorial Community Fund

Knight and Lucille Whitman Fund

Tom and Ginnie Simons Fund

Lauretta B. Abrahamer Memorial Community Fund



Tom Simons

Donor Advised Funds

Dale and Lisa Caudill Community Fund

Danny and Bill Fund

David E. and Ellen M. Ballinger Donor Advised Fund

George O. Witwer Advised Fund

James and Theresa Hornbacher Advised Fund

Julianne Clifton Donor Advised Fund

Korte Family Fund

Ralph and Sheri Trine Fund

Ralph E. Taylor Conservation Fund

Rich and Laura Clifton Fund

Ronald and Rita Deller Advised Fund

Roy and Cindy Meyer Family Fund

Sheets Family Fund

Steuben County REMC Operation Round Up Advised Fund

Victoria J. Willis Donor Advised Fund



Dale & Lisa Caudill



Korte Family



Ralph & Sheri Trine



Chuck & Ruth Ann
Sheets



Ronald & Rita Deller

Field of Interest Funds

Angola Industrial Growth Fund

Established by Angola Industrial Growth, Inc. in 2005 to support activities that promote industrial development and enhancement in the city of Angola.

Cameron Foundation Healthcare Fund

Established by Cameron Memorial Community Hospital in 1995 to provide financial assistance to local healthcare issues, programs and projects.



Fremont Cemetery Preservation Fund

Established by Ned Snyder in 2001 to provide income for the preservation, beautification, and maintenance of the cemetery.

Friends of the Circle Hill Cemetery Preservation Fund

Established by the association to provide income for the preservation, beautification, and maintenance of the Circle Hill Cemetery.

Hamilton Cemetery Preservation Fund

Established by Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cospser in 2000, to provide income for the preservation, beautification and maintenance of the cemetery.

Indiana Humanities Council Humanities Fund

Established by the Indiana Humanities Council in 2000 to promote the arts and humanities in Steuben County.

Leas Family Memorial/Hudson Circle Cemetery Fund

Established by the Hudson Circle Cemetery, Inc. in 2000 to provide income for the preservation, beautification, and maintenance of the cemetery.

Field of Interest Funds Continued

Lucille Whitman Women's Fund

Established by Ms. Whitman in 1999 to support ideas that work to address issues and needs of women and girls in Steuben County.



Powers Cemetery Preservation Fund

Established by the Powers Cemetery Association in 1999 to provide income for the preservation, beautification and maintenance of the Powers Cemetery.

Quality Childcare Fund

Established by the Dekko Foundation in 1999 to improve the quality of childcare in Steuben County by encouraging providers to seek additional education, training, or certification in their field.



Wava Aughenbaugh Memorial Fund

Established by Wava Aughenbaugh in 2004 to support ideas that work to address the issues and needs of women and girls in Steuben County.



Community Funds

Established in 2000 by the Steuben County Community Foundation Board of Directors to improve the quality of life in respective communities. These funds have a volunteer committee of local residents who recommend grants to benefit local projects and organizations:

Angola, Ashley, Clear Lake, Fremont, Hamilton, Helmer, Hudson, Metz, Orland, Pleasant Lake, Salem Center, and Steuben County

Designated Funds

Animal Welfare

Captain Carl and Joan Unger Humane Society Fund

Established to provide support for the Community Humane Society of Steuben County in 2015.

Community Humane Shelter Fund

Established by the Humane Society in 1995 to support them in carrying out their role and mission.



Beautification, Civic, & Cultural

Angola Park and Recreation Capital Improvements Fund

Established by Angola Parks and Recreation in 1997 to provide support for capital improvements to the city parks system.



Friendship Park Endowment Fund

Established by Angola Parks and Recreation in 1998 to provide operating support for maintenance/improvements of Friendship Park.



Steuben County Arts and Culture Fund

Created in 2020 to provide and promote arts programs in Steuben County through the Downtown Angola Coalition.

Steuben County Tourism Bureau Fund

Established by the Bureau in 2005 to provide support to community endeavors that enhance tourism and visitors environment within the county.

Economic Development

Steuben County Disaster Response Fund

Established by the Steuben County Community Foundation Board of Directors in 2012 to provide financial assistance to organizations providing emergency response activities in Steuben County.

Steuben County Economic Development Corporation Fund

Established by the agency in 2012 to provide support for high skill, high wage, employment growth in Steuben County.



Education

Andy Mauk Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established in his memory by his parents, Greg and Susan in 2009 to provide scholarship support to Fremont High School seniors.

Angola High School Academic Achievement Fund

Established in 2007 by Angola High School to support students of Angola High School who demonstrate exemplary academic achievement.



Chad Craig Scholarship Fund

Established in 2019 to award a scholarship to a Fremont High School senior that has participated in cross country for a minimum of 3 years.



Freedom Academy Fund

Established by The Freedom Academy in 2004 to provide financial support for their organization.



Education Continued

Fremont Community Scholarship Foundation Fund

Established by Fremont Dollars for Scholars Scholarship Foundation in 1994 to provide graduating Fremont High School seniors with cash scholarships.



Harcourt and Elsta Sheets Scholarship Fund

Established by Charles R. & Ruth Ann Sheets, as a memorial to his parents, in 1999 to provide Trine University Scholarships.

Junior Achievement of Steuben County Fund

Established by the organization in 2003 to provide financial support of their mission in Steuben County.



Questa Foundation for Education Fund

Established by the Questa Education Foundation in 2014 to support their mission and services in Steuben County.



Steuben County Literacy Coalition Operating Fund

Established by the Community Foundation in 2005 to provide financial support to further the mission of the Steuben County literacy Coalition.



Trine University Dual Enrollment Scholarship Fund

Established by the University in 2004 to provide financial assistance to high school students participating in the Trine University program.



Trine University Fund

Established by the university in 1995 to provide support to Trine University to carry out its mission.

Environmental

101 Lakes Trust Endowment Fund

Established in 2017 to provide operating support to the 101 Lakes Trust Inc.



Acres Fund

Established by Acres, Inc., in 2000, to provide income to manage and protect Acres nature preserves located within Steuben County.



Badger Barrens Endowment Fund

Established in 2017 to provide support to Blue Heron Ministries for the upkeep and maintenance of Badger Barrens Nature Preserve.

Carl “Ed” Everett Outdoor Preservation Fund

Established by SOS Services in his memory in 2005 to support charitable causes related to outdoor preservation.

Clear Lake Township Land Conservancy Maintenance Fund

Established by the land conservancy in 2006 to provide support for the maintenance, repair, purchase and capital improvements to property under their jurisdiction.

Clear Lake Township Land Conservancy Operating Endowment Fund

Established in December of 2015 to provide support to the Clear Lake Township Land Conservancy, Inc.



Darrell Ray Simons Memorial Fund

Established to provide support to Blue Heron Ministries.

Environmental Continued

Feick Family Conservation Fund

Established by Fred and Dorothy Feick, Marlene and Robert Gecowets, and Dale and Darien Feick in 2008 to support Blue Heron Ministries for operating and maintenance of the Feick Family Nature Preserve and the Fred Feick Nature Preserve.

LaTierra Sanctuary Maintenance Fund

Established in 2017 to provide operating and maintenance support to LaTierra Sanctuary through Blue Heron Ministries.

Northeast Indiana Land Protection Fund

Established in 2014 by an anonymous donor. The fund provides support to Wood-Land-Lakes Resource Conservation and Development, Inc. for land protection from subdivision, commercial and industrial development. The fund's purpose is to protect open space in Northeast Indiana.

Pokagon State Park Nature Center Fund

Established by Mrs. Dorothy Mundigner in 1999 to provide general operating support to the Pokagon State Park Nature Center.

Steuben County Lakes Council Endowment Fund

Established in 2017 to provide operating support to the Steuben County Lakes Council.



Steuben County Lakes Council Scholarship Fund

Established in 2017 to provide support to the Steuben County Lakes Council.

Tamarack Lakes Endowment Fund

Established by Blue Heron Ministries in 2010 to provide support to the Tamarack Lake Preserve through the Blue Heron Ministries.

Faith Based

Calvary Lutheran Church Fund

Established by the church in 2010 to support youth programs and activities of the church.

Fremont United Methodist Church Fund

Established by Mr. and Mrs. Ned Snyder in 2001 to provide support for capital improvements or repairs to the church.



Fremont United Methodist Church Nurturing Ministries Fund

Established by the church in 2000 to provide support for ministries in the areas of education and shepherding.

Fremont United Methodist Church Outreach Ministries Fund

Established by the church in 2000 to provide support for ministries in outreach and missions.



Fremont United Methodist Church, Youth Church Camps Fund

Established by friends and family of Laura Elizabeth Baker in her memory in 1999, this fund was amended in 2009 by Laura's parents, Gary & Regina Baker to support to the Fremont United Methodist Church for Youth Church Camps.

Hanna Memorial Fund

To the Holy Family Episcopal Church was established in 1998 by the Hanna Family to provide general operating support to the church.



Faith Based Continued

Joy and Tom LaCour Fund for St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church and Friary

Established by Jeanetta Joy LaCour in 2002 to provide administrative, operational or program support to the church and friary.



Joy and Tom LaCour Fund for St. Paul Catholic Chapel

Established by Jeanetta Joy LaCour in 2002 to provide administrative, operational, and program support to the chapel in Clear Lake, Indiana.

Lake James Christian Camp & Retreat Center Operating Endowments

Established in 2016 to provide support to Lake James Christian Camp & Retreat Center.



Vern G. and Mary Jane Hornbacher – Angola United Methodist Church Fund

Established by Vern G. & Mary Jane Hornbacher in 2004 to provide support to the Angola United Methodist Church.

Youth for Christ Fund

Established by the Dekko Foundation in 1999 to provide operating and special project support for Youth for Christ activities and events in Steuben County.



Families, Children, & Youth

Angola Balloons Aloft Fund

Established in 2009 to raise funds for a free community event and distribute proceeds to support organizations that provide for the human needs and suffering in Steuben County.



Bobby Ernst Fund

Established by relatives in his memory in 2014 to provide support to those suffering with epilepsy served by RISE, Inc.

Boy Scout Camp Maintenance Fund

Established by Ralph and Sheri Trine in 1995 to provide support for the Boy Scouts of America - Steuben County Camp Maintenance.

Cahoots Coffee Café Endowment Fund

Established in 2014 to provide financial support for the basic operations and administration of the organization.



Clear Lake Yacht Club Program Fund

Established by the family of William A. Geiger in 2002 to promote Clear Lake Yacht Club youth programs.



Community Harvest Food Bank Fund

Established in 2017 to provide support to the Community Harvest Food Bank of Northeast Indiana.



David A. Deuter YMCA Scholarship Fund

Established by the Steuben Recreation Foundation in 2000, in memory of David Deuter, to provide support to children, adults or families in need of financial assistance to become a YMCA member or participate in YMCA sponsored programs.

Families, Children, & Youth Continued

Every Child Included Fund

Established by Ms. Winifred Basset in 2002 to provide support to minor children in need of financial assistance to become a YMCA member, or participate in YMCA sponsored programs.

Forever Improving Steuben County Together Fund

Established by the Steuben County Community Foundation and the Dekko Foundation in 1996 to provide philanthropic dollars to the Steuben County youth pod.



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STEBUEN COUNTY
TOGETHER**

Hamilton Life Center Endowment Fund

Established by Pam Harger in memory of her mother in 2007, to provide operating support for the Life Center.

Katie Oberlin Memorial Fund

Established in 2018 by family and friends to support programming for community integration as directed by the Executive Director of RISE, Inc.



Lorna's Fund

Established by the Steuben County Community Foundation's Board of Directors in 2006 in memory of Lorna Leaders to provide support to local youth programs.

Paul and Inger Friend 4-H Scholarship Fund

Established by the Friends in 2006 in honor of their children, Brian, Brent, and Katrina. The purpose of the fund is to provide support to the Steuben County 4H Fair Association.



Families, Children, & Youth Continued

Pete Garner Memorial YMCA Swimming Scholarship

Established in his memory by his family in 1999 to provide scholarship assistance to individuals wishing to participate in recreational and/or organized swimming programs at a YMCA.



Pokagon Boys Camp-Group Camp Preservation Fund

Established by Donald E. Hughes and Evans M. Rust in 2005 to provide income to Pokagon State Park for the preservation of the camp.

Project Help of Steuben County Endowment Fund

Established by Project Help of Steuben County in 2007 to provide operating support for the organization.



Rise and Shine Fund

Established in 2016 by anonymous donors to provide support for board and/or staff capacity building at RISE as directed by the Executive Director.

RISE Legacy Fund

Established by RISE, Inc. in 2001 to provide financial support for the basic operations and administration of the organization.



Families, Children, & Youth Continued

Steuben County United Way Operating Fund

Established by the United Way in 1999 to provide operating support for the organization.



Turning Point Shelter Operating Fund

Established by their Board of Directors in 1999 to provide general operating support to the shelter.



YMCA of Steuben County Building Maintenance Fund

Established by Sheets Oil & Gas in 1997 to provide support for building maintenance, repair and/or capital improvements.

YMCA of Steuben County Operating Endowment Fund

Established by the Steuben Recreation Foundation in 1997 to provide financial support for the annual operating budget of the YMCA.



Healthcare

Dorothy Mundinger Helping Children Fund

Established by Mrs. Mundinger in 1999 to provide funding for the administration of the Well Child Clinic.

Every Patient Included Fund

Established by Ms. Winifred Basset in 2003 to provide direct support to hospice patients through Cameron Home Health Care and Hospice.



Faith Community Health Clinic Fund

Established by the Faith Community Health Clinic, Inc., in 2008 to provide general operating support to the clinic.

Healthcare Continued

Northeastern Center Community Mental Health Fund

Established by the Center in 1998 to provide operating support to the Northeastern Center.



Steuben County Cancer Association Fund

Established by the association in 1999 to provide support for the organization to carry out its mission.

Historic Preservation

Clear Lake Yacht Club Building Maintenance and Preservation Fund

Established to provide support to the Clear Lake Yacht Club.

Powers Church Preservation and Maintenance Fund

Established by the Powers Church Preservation Committee in 2011 to provide support to the committee for the maintenance and preservation of the church.

South Scott Union Church Restoration Fund

Established by Ron and Rita Deller in 2015 to provide support to and restoration for the South Scott Union Church.



Steuben County Historical Society Fund

Established by the Historical Society in 2000 to provide funding for administration and maintenance of their properties or to implement programs.

Library Services

Carnegie Public Library of Steuben County Operating Fund

Established by the library in 2003 to provide income for the further growth of the library.



Carnegie Public Library of Steuben County Program Fund

Established by the library in 2004 to support library programs and their administration.

Fremont Public Library Program Fund

Established by the library in 2004 to provide support of library programs.



Retirement & Senior Care

John D. Crone Memorial Steuben County Council on Aging Operating Fund

Established by the John D. Crone Trust in 2002 to provide financial support for operations.

Shirley & Marjaye Dean Memorial Fund

Established by Jeffery J. Dean and Shari L. Harter in 2006 to recognize outstanding caregivers at the Crawford County Care Center and the Quality Living Center in Saegertown, PA.

Steuben County Council on Aging Transportation Fund

Established by Lauretta Abrahamer in 1997 for support of the Council's transportation system.

Vern G. & Mary Jane Hornbacher Council on Aging Fund

Established by the Hornbachers in 2004 to provide financial support for the organization.

Service Clubs

Angola 101 Lakes Kiwanis Club Fund

Established by the Angola Kiwanis Club in 2007 to support the charitable mission of the club.



Angola Lions Club Legacy Fund

Established in 2015 to support the charitable mission of the Angola Lions Club through designated grants.



Clear Lake Lions Club Fund

Established by the club in 2000 to provide funding for charitable purposes of the club.

Donald W. Rogers Vocational Scholarship Fund

Established by the Donald W. Rogers Testamentary Trust in 2012 to provide support to the Angola Elks Lodge No. 2398 and Angola Rotary Club for educational grants to Steuben County students.

Sports & Recreation

Angola High School Band Boosters Fund

Established by James and Karen Van Vlerah in 1998 to support music and competition band or guard programs at Angola High School.



Angola Kids Baseball League Fund

Established in 1997 by the Angola Kids League, Inc. to support the role and mission of the Angola Kids League.



Multiple Beneficiaries

Bob and Janet Barge Fund

CJ and Bea Geiger Family Fund

Dave and Kathy Bruns Fund

Dick and Fran Wilder Memorial Fund

Helen R. Greenamyre Memorial Fund

Lynn Wernet Fund

Marcher Charitable Remainder Trust Fund

Martha Rogers Fund

Steve and Tana Gibson Family Fund



Bob & Janet Barge



CJ & Bea Geiger



Dave & Kathy Bruns

Scholarships

Alfred R. and Joyce E. Gutstein Nursing Scholarship

Established by Joyce as a memorial to Alfred in 2011 to support a nursing student scholarship.

Angola Rotary Scholarship Fund

Established by the Angola Rotary Club in 1998 to provide financial assistance to the club's charitable activities.

Angola Vocational Training Initiative Scholarship

Established by the Angola City Council in 2015 to provide support to adults pursuing new or additional vocational training.

Scholarships Continued

Betty P. Goranson Music Scholarship Fund

Started in 2020 by Mrs. Goranson to further music education for students.

Cheryl Anstett Scholarship Fund

Established by Mrs. Anstett in 2007 to support a non-traditional student seeking to further their education through post-secondary education and training.

Cleon and Pauline B. Throop Scholarship Fund

Established to give support to a Steuben County resident attending college or university outside of Steuben County.

Clifford Abbott Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established in 1995 to grant scholarships to the top graduating male and female students of Fremont Community Schools.

Community Scholarship Fund

Established by the Steuben County Community Foundation's Board of Directors in 2013 for educational scholarships.

Dale Hughes Jr. Memorial Scholarship

Established in his memory by his wife Emily in 2004 to provide scholarship assistance for students.

Diana K. Smith Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by her father, Captain Don L Smith in her memory in 2004 to provide scholarship assistance.

Dick and Peg King Fund

Established by the Kings in 2003 to provide support to a single parent pursuing post- secondary education.

Scholarships Continued

Don and Eileen Fulton Nursing Scholarship Fund

Established by Eileen in 2003 to provide scholarship assistance to nursing students.

Dr. J. Glenn Radcliffe Scholarship Fund

Established by William Radcliffe in 2001 to provide scholarship assistance to a Steuben County high school graduate planning to attend Trine University.

Ed Haas Memorial Scholarship Fund

Started as a memorial by family and friends in 2000 to provide scholarship assistance to students pursuing higher education in fields of education or humanities.

Ellen Eberhardt Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established in her memory by her parents, Arthur and Marion, to provide financial support to students seeking environmental education.

Fouever Friends 2011 Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by the Community Foundation Board of Directors on behalf of the families of Alexx Bauer, Matthew Roe, Evan Weaver and Riley Zimmer to provide educational scholarships for students.

Gene E. Kalb Student Scholarship Program Fund

Established by his estate in 2005 to provide financial support for scholarships.

Gene Wenzel Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by Wenzel Metal Spinning in 2002 in Gene's memory to provide scholarships to Steuben County students.

Scholarships Continued

Gerald J. and Waunetta B. Seagly Prarie Heights Community School Corporation Scholarship

Established by the school in 2002 to provide scholarships to graduating seniors.

Gerald J. and Waunetta B. Seagly Hamilton Community Schools Scholarship Fund

Established in 1999 by the Hamilton Community Schools to provide scholarships to graduating seniors.

Gerald J. and Waunetta B. Seagly Metropolitan School District of Steuben County Scholarship Fund

Established by the MSD of Steuben County in 1999 to provide scholarships to graduating seniors.

Giles A. and Rose F. Heroy Scholarship

For teaching was established by Angola Wire Products in 1999 to provide scholarship support to students pursuing a teaching degree.

Glenn, Vera and Estel Sewell Memorial Nursing Scholarship Fund

Established by Estel in 2004 to provide scholarship assistance to nursing students.



Joyce E. Gutstein



Eileen Fulton

Scholarships Continued

Greg Shively Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established in his memory by Greg's family in 2001 to provide scholarship support.

Gwen A. Baker "Joy of Music" Fund

Established by Gwen and the Fremont Music Boosters in 2008 to provide educational scholarships.

Harold H. and Helen E. Stevens Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established in 2001 in their memory by their family to provide scholarships for Steuben County students.

Harry W. and Shirley L. Kelley Education Scholarship Fund

Established in his memory by his wife Shirley, daughter Susie Poor, and son Steven Kelley in 2011 to provide support for educational scholarships.

Heart of the Arts Scholarship Fund

Established by SCCF Humanities Committee in 2011 to provide educational scholarships for students enrolled in a degree program for humanities studies.

John and Rita Crimmons Health Occupations Scholarship

Established in 2018 by their family to support students graduating from the Angola Health Operations program pursuing careers in nursing fields.

John Fiandt Scholarship Fund

Established by Daniel J. Hochstedler in 2015 to support students pursuing an education degree.

Scholarships Continued

John W. Kelley Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established in John's memory by Frank Baade in 2004 to provide scholarship assistance to students pursuing law enforcement education.

Kermit and Doris Rensch 4-H Scholarship Fund

Established by the Rensch family in 1996 in Doris and Kermit's memory to provide scholarship support to 4-H students entering college.

Knight and Lucille Whitman Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by the Angola United Methodist Church in 2011 to provide support to the church for giving a scholarship to a member.

Kylee Anne Simons Scholarship

Established on her behalf, by her parents Nathan & Aimee Simons in 2004 to establish a scholarship for students pursuing a special education degree.

Lakeland Marine Retailers Association Scholarship

Established by the association to provide scholarship assistance.

Leon Huss Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by his family in 2002 to provide a scholarship to a Steuben County Student that has been active in 4-H.

“Life’s A Stage” Drama Scholarship

Established by family and friends of Michelle Grabill Everidge in her memory in 2002 to provide scholarships to drama students of Prairie Heights Community School Corporation.

Scholarships Continued

Loretta C. and Mary S. Sanders Scholarship Fund

Established by Mary in honor of Loretta C. and Mary S. in 2008 to provide support for a business administration and a nursing scholarship.

M.G. “Doc” Headley Scholarship Fund

Established in his memory by his family in 2000 to provide scholarship support to one or more students.

Mandel and Laretta Abrahamer Scholarship Fund

Established in 1995 to provide support for a Steuben County student entering the field of nursing or other health -related occupation.

Mary Jane Kruse Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by her estate in 2007 to provide support to students who will be English Majors in college.

Michael David Holcomb II Memorial IT Scholarship Fund

Established by his family in his memory in 2013 to provide educational scholarships.



Cleon & Pauline B.
Throop



John & Rita
Crimmins

Scholarships Continued

Moody Goodale Scholarship Fund

Established in 2019 by Bruce Moody and Janyce Moody Wilson for their stepmother Mary Elizabeth Goodale Moody. This scholarship is for a student graduating from any Steuben County High School.

Nettie and Edward Shelah Scholarship Fund

Established by the Hamilton Community Schools in 1999 to provide scholarships to graduates of Hamilton High School.

Northeast Indiana Business and Professional Women Fund

Established by the Steuben County BPW in 1999 to provide scholarship assistance to Steuben County women pursuing further education.

Northeast Indiana Solid Waste Management District Scholarship Fund

In honor of Pete Green was established by the District in 2003 to provide scholarship assistance to a Trine University student.

Not Your Ordinary Student Scholarship Fund

Established by the Steuben County Community Foundation Board of Directors in 2007 to provide scholarship assistance to non-traditional students.

Oaken Bucket, Indiana University – Purdue University Scholarship Fund

Established by the Steuben County Community Foundation Board of Directors in 2008 to provide scholarship support for students enrolled in either of the two universities.

Pauline Hand Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established through her estate in 2007, to award scholarships to Steuben County Students.

Scholarships Continued

Prairie Heights Vocational Scholarship Fund

Established in 2009 to provide scholarship assistance for students pursuing a vocational career or an academic program at IMPACT Institute.

Ramona Holsinger Physical Education Scholarship Fund

Established in 2018 to provide scholarship assistance for students studying physical education.

Richard L. Baker Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by the Fremont Classroom Teachers Association in Mr. Bakers memory in 2006 to provide scholarship assistance.

Snyder Ivy Tech State College Scholarship Fund

Established by Mr. & Mrs. Ned Snyder in 2001 to provide financial assistance to Steuben County residents attending Ivy Tech State College.

Steuben County Vocational Education Fund

Established to provide support to adults pursuing any type of vocational education.



Ramona Holsinger



Loyal Wilson

Scholarships Continued

Steven Chad Shively Memorial Scholarship

Established in his memory by Steven's family in 2001 to provide scholarship support.

Susie Poor Memorial Teaching Scholarship

Established by family and friends of Susie in 2014 to provide teaching scholarships.

Sylvia E. Jackson Scholarship of MSD Fund

Established by the MSD of Steuben County in 1999 to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Angola High School.

Tara Lynne Arnold Scholarship Fund

Established in 2006 in her memory by family and friends to provide scholarship support to a graduating senior of Angola High School.

Trois Wagner Wilson Nursing Scholarship Fund

Created in Trois' memory to provide support to a full time student pursuing a degree in nursing.

Verna Curry Boyer Scholarship Fund

Established by Mrs. Boyer in 2005 to provide scholarship assistance for students pursuing a degree in teacher education.

Operating Endowments

Steuben County Community Foundation Operating Endowment

Established in 1995 to provide operating funds to the Foundation.

Board of Directors Legacy Fund

Established in 2018 by the family of Jim Stock for support of the Steuben County Community foundation's operating expenses.

A Word from the SCCF President

At Steuben County Community Foundation, we like to think of charitable giving as a big puzzle. There are many great nonprofits and community causes that deserve support. They're providing food, shelter, education, support for animals, protection for the environment, and a hundred other services that are vital to Steuben County. At the same time, we work with donors who want to help make a difference in this community. SCCF is always trying to fit together those puzzle pieces, and it's been our motto for years — connecting people who care with needs that matter to our community!

We created this booklet to celebrate the diversity of causes that people have chosen to support in Steuben County, and their commitment to providing support for years to come. If you are passionate about a cause or a nonprofit organization and have questions about establishing an endowment fund, don't hesitate to contact us.



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